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 TAGS: CVIS (ROLKO, MILOSLAV)
 SUBJECT: NIV CASE

1. DEPARTMENT CONGRESSIONAL RELATIONS (H) CONTACTED INITIALLY BY CONGRESSMAN LARGOMARSINO RE: CASE OF MILOSLAV ROLKO, DPOB, OCTOBER 13, 1960, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, WHO WAS REFUSED NIV BY POST.

2. H SUBSEQUENTLY RECEIVED INQUIRIES FROM SENATOR CRANSTON AND SENATOR HAYAKAWA. STAFFER AT LARGOMARSINO'S OFFICE ADVISED THAT ROLKO QUOTE AN ESCAPED CZECH NATIONAL UNQUOTE IS A WORLD-CLASS SWIMMER, CERTAIN OLYMPIC WINNER, AND UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA WOULD LIKE HIM TO ENTER U.S. I-20 HAS BEEN ISSUED AND SPONSOR FUNDING UNIVERSITY STUDY (DOLLARS 11,039) IS AMERICAN FUNDS FOR CZECH REFUGEES. REFUGEE BUREAU (RP) ADVISES IT IS AWARE OF CASE AND HAD SPOKEN TO A STAFFER IN SENATOR CRANSTON'S OFFICE, WHO HAD TELEPHONED CONOFF YOUNG AT POST ON DECEMBER 10. CRANSTON'S OFFICE UNDERSTANDS ROLKO WAS GIVEN POLITICAL ASYLUM BY FRG.

3. ACTION REQUESTED - IN VIEW OF CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST IN CASE AND PROBLEM IN UNDERSTANDING WHAT TYPE VISA OR ENTRY INTO U.S. ROLKO APPLIED FOR, DEPARTMENT WOULD

APPRECIATE POST SENDING REPLY GIVING BACKGROUND ON CASE AND STATUS SO DEPARTMENT (H) MAY REPLY TO CONGRESSIONAL OFFICES. CA/VO AWARE OF THIS MESSAGE AND HAS CLEARED.

4. SLUG REPLY H - ANNE MARIE SCHLOSS AND CA/VO/P: DAM
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 fle: Sen. Cranston
 Sen. Hayakawa
 Cong. Largomarsino
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